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UNCLAS PRETORIA 4961

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: PINS, WA

SUBJ: NAMIBIA: CIVILIAN KILLED IN LANDMINE EXPLOSION

REF: PRETORIA 4931

1. THIRD CIVILIAN DEATH IN NORTHERN NAMIBIA IN THREE DAYS
OCCURRED EVENING DEC. 21 WHEN OWAMBO CIVILIAN WAS KILLED IN
LANDMINE EXPLOSION, ACCORDING TO STATEMENT RELEASED BY SWA
ADMINISTRATOR, MAN DIED WHEN LIGHT TRUCK HE WAS DRIVING STRUCK
MINE ON ROAD SIX MILES WOUTH OF ANGOLA BORDER NEAR OSHIKANGO.
STATEMENT WARNED THAT "SWAPO IS INCREASING ITS CAMPAIGN OF
TERROR IN ORDER TO WIN BACK LOST PRESTIGE."

2. PRESS ALSO REPORTS THAT ARMY AND POLICE SEARCH FOR
KILLERS OF TWO PEOPLE WHO DIED DEC. 20 (REFTEL) IS CONTINUEING.
BUSHMEN TRACKERS ARE BEING USED TO FOLLOW TRAIL OF
FOOTPRINTS APPARENTLY LEFT BY KILLERS.

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